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[redacted] He suggested this paper be used in a "Trends" paper. The Director also commended Lehman and Bowie on the recent Special Report to the President on International Trends which was praised by NSC Staffer Bob Gates in a 5 June letter to Mr. Carlucci. The Director added that this product reflects how well the NIOs and others are working together. (Action: NFAC) [redacted]

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Hitz reported that General McAuliffe, Commander of the U.S. Southern Command, is continuing his testimony before the House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee. Hitz expects that McAuliffe will speak to CIA information that supports his own views. Hitz noted that, as the hearing nears its deadline, Committee forces opposing the Panama Canal Treaty do not seem successful. Relatedly, the Director called attention to Dr. Brzezinski's appearance yesterday on ABC's "Issues and Answers" where Dr. Brzezinski commented that Panama is not providing arms to Sandinista forces. The Director noted to Bowie that, despite President Royo's promise not to provide arms, we should be keeping Dr. Brzezinski advised. (Action: NFAC)

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